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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SOICHIRO KAWAKAMI, et al.

Application No.: 10/682,454

Filed: October 10, 2003

For: DETECTING METHOD AND DETECTING APPARATUS FOR DETECTING INTERNAL OF RECHARGEABLE BATTERY, RECHARGEABLE BATTERY PACK HAVING SAID DETECTING APPARATUS THEREIN, APPARATUS HAVING SAID DETECTING APPARATUS THEREIN, PROGRAM IN WHICH SAID DETECTING METHOD IS INCORPORATED, AND MEDIUM IN WHICH SAID PROGRAM IS STORED

Examiner: P. F. Tibbits

Group Art Unit: 2838

October 13, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 7, 2005, the period for response to which having been extended by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

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